

**Polycyclic Aryl and Heteroaryl Substituted Benzenes Useful for
Selective Inhibition of the Coagulation Cascade**

Abstract

The invention relates to polycyclic aryl and heteroaryl substituted benzene compounds useful as inhibitors of serine proteases of the coagulation cascade and compounds, compositions and methods for anticoagulant therapy for the treatment and prevention of a variety of thrombotic conditions including coronary artery and cerebrovascular diseases.